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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: CHRISTOPHE KORN

SERIAL NO.: 10/070,414

FILED: July 19, 2002

FOR: ELECTRONIC MULTIPURPOSE SEAL WITH
PASSIVE TRANSDUCER

GROUP ART UNIT: 2823

EXAMINER: William D. Coleman

ATTY. REFERENCE: KORN3001/JEK/JJC

COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION OF AUGUST 16, 2004

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is responsive to the Office Action dated August 16, 2004 in the above application. In view of the following remarks, reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.